IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In reapplication of: Wilfried Lubisch)
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Serial No.: 10/690,400)
) Art Unit 1624
Filed: 10/20/2003)
) Examiner: Emily B. Bernhardt
For: Novel Substituted Amides, Their)
Preparation And Use)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action dated September 25, 2006, Applicants elect Group I, claims 20-22 and 35, without traverse, for prosecution in the present application. Applicants further elect the species of Example 71 as required in the Office Action.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application to the non-elected subject matter.

Respectfully submitted

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